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PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 08350.1753

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Jerry L. Crayton et al.) Group Art Unit: 3627
Application No.: 10/020,147) Examiner: James A. Kramer
Filed: December 14, 2001)
For: A Method and Apparatus Configured to Manage a Procurement Process) Confirmation No.: 6627)
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on November 15, 2005, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendments section of this paper.